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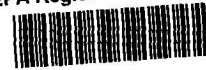
DATE: August 11, 1980

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FROM: Joe Petrilli *JP*

SUBJECT: TDD# F5-8008-2  
Stauffer Chemical Company  
Gary, Indiana

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On Friday, August 8, 1980, I returned a call to Mr. Call (203-222-4244) of Stauffer Chemical Company who voiced a complaint over a FIT inspection of the subject site.

Citing two cases (Stauffer vs. USEPA; and, Dow Chemical vs. USEPA) he indicated his company was prepared to go to court if the company's rights were violated.

I discussed the FIT contract, our relationship with the USEPA and indicated that in no way were we out to violate Stauffer's rights. We discussed the inspection in general, then Mr. Call suggested we "start at square one". He said he would send a letter to us (secrecy agreement) that we would have to sign. I told him to send the agreement, but we would have to have attorneys review the document before signing it. The conversation ended with this understanding.

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